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**PATENT**  
**Docket No. 015916-288**

**Applicant:** Phan

**Serial No.:** 10/045,669

**Filing Date:** October 22, 2001

**Title:** Apparatus For Supporting  
Diagnostic and Therapeutic  
Elements In Contact With Body Tissue  
Including Electrode Cooling Device

**Group Art Unit:** 3739

**Examiner:** Vrettakos

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION**

**DATED NOVEMBER 16, 2004**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 16, 2004, time for response to which has been extended by the enclosed petition to March 16, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 15 of this paper.